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## REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

## (INCLUDING FILING FEE AND/OR PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME FEE)

Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. §132, effective May 29, 2000 provides for continued examination of a utility or plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995.

See The American Inventors Protection Act of 1999 (AIPA)

To: Commissioner for Patents Box RCE PO Box 1450		Attorney Docket No.:826.1915					
Alexandria, V	<u> </u>						
First Named Inventor	Tatsuhiro SATO						
Application No.	10/751,485	Group Art Unit	2617				
Filing Date	January 6, 2004	Examiner	Examiner Charles Terrell Shedrick				
CPA Filing Date		Confirmation No	3523				
Title of Invention	POSITION INFORMATION ACQUISITION APPARATUS AND METHOD						
This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 of the above-identified application.							
Submission required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 (Box a or b must be completed)  a. ☐ Previously submitted i. ☐ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on (Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered). ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on							
<ul> <li>iii. ☐ Other</li> <li>b. ☒ Enclosed</li> <li>i. ☐ Amendment/Reply</li> <li>ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)</li> <li>iii. ☒ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)</li> <li>iv. ☐ Other</li> </ul>							
Miscellaneous							
a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. §103(c) for a period ofmonths. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(i) required). b. ☐ Other							

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Since an Official Action set an <u>original</u> due date of, petition is								
hereby made for	hereby made for an extension of time to cover the date this RCE is filed,							
for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$120)); (2 months								
	(\$450)); (3 months (\$1,020)); (4 months (\$1,590)); (5 months (\$2,160):							
Petition to Withdraw From Issue Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.313(c)					130.00			
Total of above Calculations =				\$	920.00			
Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (Note 37 C.F.R. 1.9, 1.27, 1.28).								
TOTAL FEES DUE =				\$	920.00			
4. Small entity status:								
a. Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status.								
b. 🔲 A Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status was previously filed and such								
status is still proper and desired.								
С. 🗌	c. 🔲 is no longer claimed.							
5. Other:								
6. METHOD OF PAYMENT								
A check in the amount of \$ \$920.00 is enclosed.								
Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to Deposit Account No. 19-3935. (A duplicate copy of this form is								
enclosed.)								
7. GENERAL AUTHORIZATION								
The Commi	ssioner is hereby authorized to cre-	dit any overpayment or	charge any addition	al fees under 3	37 C.F.R. 1.16 (filing fees)			
hereof pursi	or 37 C.F.R. 1.17 (processing fees) during the prosecution of this application and of any related application(s) claiming benefit hereof pursuant to 35 U.S.C. §120 to maintain pendency hereof and of any such related application to:							
Deposit Account No. 19-3935.								
8. CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS								
STAAS & HALSEY LLP								
21171								
PATENT TRADEMARK OFFICE								
9. SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY OR AGENT REQUIRED								
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